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Attorney General John Ashcroft, US Department of Justice
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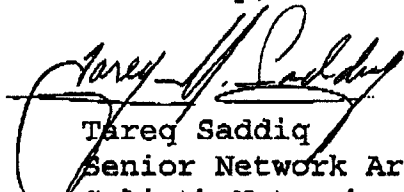
Dear Mr. Ashcroft:

I am writing this letter to lend my support to the settlement reached between Microsoft and the Department of Justice. This lawsuit is just a way for competitors of Microsoft to feel good about their lack of success and block any further achievements of Microsoft. Even though I believe this suit should not have been brought about, it is better to resolve this issue and move ahead, rather than spending another three years in court.

Microsoft has earned its success along the way. It has provided its consumers with quality care and service, which has tremendously helped in its worldwide accomplishments. Microsoft opponents have suggested terms that appear to stifle trade, such as uniform licensing price agreements. Even so, Microsoft has acknowledged the terms so that it can move on.

This waste of American tax dollars is pointless. To stop this from continuing any further, all action that is taking place at the federal level be brought to an end.

Sincerely,



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